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Title of Invention

An oral composition

Claims

(1) An oral composition comprising potassium and/or strontium ion source as a desensitising agent and a granular abrasive, and treating sensitive teeth, characterized in that the granular abrasive consists of or comprises hydroxyapatite.

(2) The oral composition according to claim 1 characterized in that the hydroxyapatite has a mean particle size between 1 and 15  $\mu\text{m}$ .

(3) The oral composition according to claim 1 characterized in that the hydroxyapatite is a synthetic hydroxyapatite comprising at least 92% by weight of  $\text{Ca}_{10}(\text{PO}_4)_6(\text{OH})_2$ .

(4) The oral composition according to claim 1 characterized in that it contains 1% by weight to 50% by weight of the hydroxyapatite based on the total weight of the composition.

(5) The oral composition according to claim 1 characterized in that it contains 1% by weight to 10% by weight of the potassium and/or strontium ion source as a desensitising agent based on the total weight of the composition.